

## Response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 Expedited Procedure Examining Group 2855

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In re Application of: Satoshi MATSUMOTO et al. Confirmation No.: 8192 Application No.: 10/518,392 Group Art Unit: 2855 Filed: July 25, 2005 Examiner: Gail K. Verbitsky For: LASER PROCESSING APPARATUS,) LASER PROCESSING TEMPERATURE MEASURING APPARATUS, LASER PROCESSING METHOD, AND LASER PROCESSING TEMPERATURE MEASURING **METHOD** 

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated April 3, 2008, the period for response to which runs through October 3, 2008, by the concurrently-filed petition for a three-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment, entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal: